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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application of: Kirkland W. Vogt  
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ELASTOMER COMPOSITE MADE THEREWITH,  
AND METHOD OF MAKING SAME  
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action of March 14, 2003 and in connection with a concurrently filed request for continued examination (RCE). A three month time extension request is hereby submitted. This Amendment employs the revised amendment format recently adopted by the U.S. Patent Office, and additions or deletions to the claims are presented in bold.